

Juce Catton Says:
Sensation Due in Report On Associated Farmers

WASHINGTON.—A story of repression and denial of civil rights, as startling as anything told of Harlem county in its palmist days, will soon be laid before the country when the LaFollette committee submits its report on the Associated Farmers.

Plans Completed
for Third Annual
Sunrise Service

Rev. W. R. Hamilton to Be
Speaker on Easter
Morning

AT GRID STADIUM
Community-Wide Event
Begins at 6:30 a. m. Sun-
day, April 9

Plans were practically complete Saturday for the third annual community Easter Morning Prayer Service, to be held at the high school athletic field at 6:30 o'clock Easter morning, April 9.

State WPA Rolls
Ordered Reduced

200,000 Reduction Over
U. S. Is Asked by
Harrington

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Col. F. C. Harrington, WPA administrator, Friday ordered that 200,000 persons be taken off relief rolls by April 8. This will bring the rolls down to a total of 2,800,000.

Chinese War Brings
Boom in the Bibles

NEW YORK.—(AP)—China and Japan are still buying Bibles in spite of war, says the American Bible Society. The Chinese bought from the Bible Society more whole Bibles in 1938 than ever before in their history, it says, and Japan bought almost ten per cent more volumes of Scripture, including Bibles, Testaments and Gospel Portions than the year before.

CRANIUM
CRACKERS

April 1! Are you fool-proof enough to answer correctly each of the following questions?
1. Maurice Ravel was a (French, Spanish, Portuguese) native, noted for his (poetry, music, drama).
2. Mary, Queen of Scots, was executed in the same year that Virginia Dare was born in colony of Virginia. What was the year?
3. The term, "usury," means interest in excess of the highest legal rate. Is the statement true or false?
4. What American poet had a last name the same as the name of what collage in Walla Walla, Wash?

TO RECOGNIZE FRANCO

Man Shot to Death
After Being Taken
From Florida Jail

Band of Masked Men Raid
Jail, Kill Miles W. Brown,
Prisoner

NEGRO IS EXECUTED
More Than 100 See Negro
Pay Penalty for Assault
on Co-Ed

PANAMA CITY, Fla.—(AP)—Miles W. Brown, convicted late Friday night of first degree murder for the killing of his former employer, Roy Van Kleek, was shot to death early Saturday after being taken from jail by a band of masked men.

Negro Is Hanged
Baton Rouge, La.—(AP)—A crowd of more than a hundred unofficial witnesses saw the hanging of Dave Johnson, 33, negro attacker.

Johnson, an ex-convict, died on the gallows for twice criminally attacking the 20-year-old co-ed in a cabbage field on the Louisiana State university farm.

Bowling League
Is Formed Here

Byron Evans Is Elected
President of Bowling
Association

Hope Bowling Association was organized at a meeting held in the Recreation Hall at the Hope Fair Park Friday night.

Franco May Keep
Army of Million

Soldiers Will Be Released
Gradually to Public
Life, Industry

MADRID, Spain.—(AP)—General Franco was expected by informed sources to keep his army of more than 1,000,000 men on its present basis probably until the end of the year, Mass discharges now, it was pointed out, might create serious problems of unemployment and public order.

Where 14 Persons Met Death in One of
Mississippi's Worst Highway Disasters



Rescue workers are shown removing one of the automobiles which plunged into Clear Creek, 10 miles east of Vicksburg, Miss., on the night of Wednesday, March 29, after a bridge washout. At least 14 persons lost their lives in one of Mississippi's worst highway disasters in history.

Officers Hunt for
Woman's Attacker

Texarkana Housewife Is
Raped by Negro
Assailant

TEXARKANA.—Police disclosed Friday that a 25-year-old Texarkana housewife was raped and robbed by a negro, who, after following her several blocks, dragged her into an alley at the rear of the Mt. Sinai temple here.

New Radio Compass
Invented for Planes

SAN FRANCISCO.—(AP)—A new type of radio compass of such high precision that its sponsors said it might revolutionize direction finding in the air and permit accurate control of aerial bomb dropping from long distances was demonstrated here Saturday.

He Is Sure That
This Would Bring
Peace to the World

LONDON.—(AP)—Maj. Vernon Bartlett, independent member of Parliament, expressed belief in a speech that Prime Minister Chamberlain's new foreign policy would "save the world from the ideocy of another world war."

2 Still Missing in
Bridge Disaster

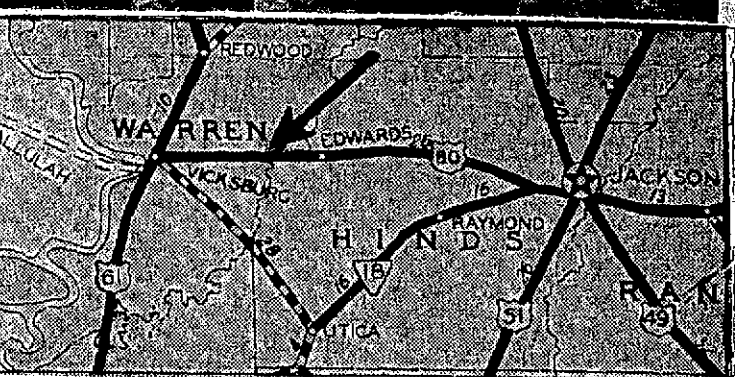
Death Toll at Present Rests
at 14 in Mississippi
Tragedy

VICKSBURG, Miss.—(AP)—The toll of the "death bridge" disaster at Clear Creek bayou, east of here, rested at 14 with two others given up for dead.

Cardinal Found
Dead in His Bed

Donato Sbarretti Dies of
Heart Attack, Doctors
Report

VATICAN CITY.—(AP)—Donato Cardinal Sbarretti was found dead in bed Saturday by a servant who went to awaken him.



The spot on Highway 80 between Jackson and Vicksburg, Miss., where at least 14 persons lost their lives following a bridge washout on the night of Wednesday, March 29, is shown in the top photo. Arrow on the map points to spot where bridge went out.

Pier Carpenters
Are Wanted Here

Employment Service Has
Jobs for Several at
\$1.10 Per Hour

The Arkansas State Employment Service has a tentative order of pier carpenters.

Jackrabbit Fur Goes
Into Spring Hats

GRAND FORKS, N. D.—(AP)—Part of that new spring bonnet may have lopped over North Dakota prairies.

Hull Outlines U. S.
Position in Cable
to Foreign Office

U. S. Seeks Diplomatic Relations
With New Spanish
Regime

MUSSOLINI SPEAKS
Anti-Aggression Powers
Push Plans to Halt
Hitler

WASHINGTON.—(AP)—Secretary Hull announced Saturday that the United States would recognize General Franco's government of Spain.

Mussolini Talks
NAPLES, Italy.—(AP)—Premier Mussolini told a crowd of peasants at Capua Saturday that since they lacked enough space for their families that somebody would have to provide it.

Anti-Aggression Pact
PARIS, France.—(AP)—Persons close to the French government said Saturday after a meeting of the cabinet that a general mutual assistance pact among anti-aggression powers was in the process of formation.

Hitler Angered
BERLIN.—(AP)—Adolf Hitler, described as thoroughly angered by British Prime Minister Chamberlain's pledge to defend Polish independence, was expected to give an explosive answer Saturday when he speaks at Wilhelmshaven, his North Sea navy base.

Laughable Maneuver
DNE, the official German News Agency, asserted that Chamberlain's declaration would "be viewed only as an extremely laughable attempt to incite unrest and to sow distrust of Germany in the family of nations."

Hurt and Offended
If Hitler is convinced by the reaction from Poland that his Eastern neighbor is inclined to accept British French support, he may serve a last warning to the nation with which the aggression record of January 23, 1939, the treaty has nearly five more years to run.

Cotton

NEW ORLEANS.—(AP)—New Orleans cotton for May opens Saturday at 1.17 and closed at 1.18.

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The Family Doctor

By DR. MORRIS FISHBEIN

Editor, Journal of the American Medical Association, and of

Legion, The Health Magazine

Don't Jump to Conclusion That "Backache" Means "Kidneys"

Commonest among all the complaints that disturb people past middle age is the condition commonly called "backache," and better understood by the simple name "backache."

Pain in the back does not always, however, come from disturbances in the muscles, ligaments, and other tissues of the spine. Physicians have discovered that sometimes pain in the back is the result of inflammation in the gallbladder, the stomach and the intestines, or in the organs commonly associated with childbirth.

From time to time operations have been performed on the organs in the abdomen with the hope that these would relieve backache. It is true, if the same time however, that the great majority of pains low in the back are due to conditions affecting the joint between the bones of the spine at the pelvis.

Physicians know also that pains like to diseases of the gallbladder may sometimes be felt in the back and the region of the shoulders, and that pains in the diaphragm or at the base of the lungs may be noted at the tip of the shoulder.

Although the advertisements of an earlier day have convinced many people that disease of the kidney is responsible for pain in the back, the pain actually felt when there is kidney disease, under the last rib or in the front toward the groin.

Most common, as has been said, as the cause of backache is weakness of the joints between the back and the pelvis. This may result from strain or from relaxation, from sudden pulling, tearing or twisting as, for example, occurs when playing a game or cranking a car. There may also be infections which attack the tissues and produce permanent changes.

Occasionally the nerves of the spine may be involved in disease conditions, or anatomical changes which in themselves may be responsible for the pain.

All of this leads to the conclusion that pain in the back may actually represent a variety of causes, work-

Uncle Midas May Yet Regret the Golden Touch

Once there was a king in Thrace called Midas. He loved gold, not because he wanted to buy or for the good he could do with it, but for the gold itself.

When the spirit of spring and youth and gladness, granted him a wish, Midas wished for the Golden Touch—the power that would cause everything he touched to turn to gold.

At first Midas was delighted. He turned his garden to gold, his hall to gold, his very food to gold. He turned his garden to gold, his hall to gold, his very food to gold.

But when he touched his daughter, she turned to gold. He turned to gold, his daughter to gold. He turned to gold, his daughter to gold.

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A Book a Day

Participation Year's Plan

Whatever you may think about the

story, briefly, turns on the lives

of Jonathan Chase, son of an Indiana

farmer, who works with him

in the big automobile factories

There are many others, but they serve

merely to fill the gaps in the broad

canvases Miss Herriot has drawn, stretch-

ing from New York across Michigan to the

western farm lands.

But it is not so much what happens

to these characters as what is happen-

ing to America that concerns Miss

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Producer Fence Posts By Thinning Shelter

WASHINGTON, April 1.—Dust

shelterbelts are growing so fast

that they are even being

thinned in some places.

Planted only three years ago

of the shelterbelts already are

growing so fast that they are

being thinned in some places.

The new woodlands, planted to

sell and water conservation projects,

belong to the government and one of

the first calls to thin them out came

from a land owner near Cowell, Okla.

He reports the trees, planted on his

property, were large enough to

produce fence posts.

Other reports confirmed his view

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Just Forget

Forget the slander you have heard, forget the nasty unkind word, forget the rumor and the cause, forget the whole affair because forget it is the only way.

Forget the story of yesterday, forget those with the sour face, forget the trials you have had, forget the weather if it's bad, forget the knacker, he's a freak, forget him seven days a week, forget you're not a millionaire, forget the gray streaks in your hair, forget wherever you may roam, forget when traveling or at home.

—Selected.

Mrs. R. M. LaGrone, Mrs. C. C. McNeill, Mrs. F. V. McClinton, Mrs. Dick Williams and Mrs. E. Williams of Texarkana attended the meeting of the Camden District Confederate Music Club, convening in a one day session.

Circle No. 22 W. M. S., First Methodist church, will meet Monday afternoon at three o'clock at the home of Mrs. R. V. McGinnis, South Elm street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Franklin and son, Bobby will spend the week end in Hot Springs.

Bruce Catton Says

(Continued on Page Seven)

San Francisco and the various economic interests in California, and showing how these in turn are related to the Associated Farmers. It is understood that a dozen of the committee's agents have taken part in the investigation.

The CIO has demanded that the Dies committee investigate the Associated Farmers. It is unlikely that this request will be granted. As one liberal member of the Dies committee explains, the committee could make such an investigation only if it had reason to believe that there was some definite tie-up between the Associated Farmers and the Nazi or Fascist organizations, and no such charge has been made. The word "fascist" has been applied to the organization, but it does not carry the implication that money or counsel from capital-F Fascists have been supplied.

Will G-Men Enter Case? One of the most interesting possibilities about the report, however, concerns the Department of Justice rather than the LaFollette committee.

Nearly two months ago Attorney General Frank Murphy set up the Civil Liberties Unit in the Criminal Division of the Department of Justice and directed it to "direct, supervise and conduct prosecutions of violations of the provisions of the Constitution or acts."

That authorization is broad enough to cover almost anything. Power to proceed in that manner is derived from an old anti-Klux Klan statute passed shortly after the Civil War, which provides penalties for those who conspire to deprive others of rights guaranteed either under the Constitution or the federal statutes. It was under that law that prosecutions were undertaken in Hinton county.

It is entirely within the bounds of possibility that after the LaFollette committee report is made public a request for action by the Civil Liberties Unit will be made. If that should happen, and if the unit should be instructed to go ahead, then the G-men would be turned loose—and practically anything might happen.

Whether that happens or not, the report will be out in a few days . . . and it will be quite as startling as anything the LaFollette committee has produced to date.

NOTICE!
We have just put in a complete stock of Radio Tubes—
EXPERT RADIO REPAIRING
All Work Guaranteed 30 Days
HOUSTON ELECTRIC SHOP
Phone 784

Choice.
Hams-Fish
For Easter
Shop in our modern sanitary Market for your Easter needs. A complete line of groceries, Fresh and Cured Meats.
We Deliver. Phone 767
CITY MARKET
DONALD MOORE
East Third Street

Now in Progress
COAT SALE
\$5.99
Special purchase of Spring Toppers gives you this big savings.
LADIES
Specialty Shop

G. E. Hot Point
REFRIGERATORS
Harry W. Shiver
PLUMBING PHONE 259

College Instructs Students Hobbies

Non-Competitive Sports, Like Riding, Are Encouraged

By AP Feature Service
SWARTMORE — Swartmore college thinks one of a graduate's big problems will be how to spend leisure time—so it's teaching hobbies.

President Frank Aydelotte explains that the hobbies don't run along the stamp and coin collecting idea. Rather students are given an opportunity to become proficient in an individual sport or one of the creative arts.

Those are the two forms of recreation of most value to the college graduate whose work lies in business or in one of the professions, says Dr. Aydelotte, who believes that seven fairly well educated persons today are making a sad misuse of their leisure time.

In the sports field, the college goes beyond ordinary instruction, bringing in top-notch professionals or champions for interest-arousing exhibitions.

For students not interested in athletics, Swartmore provides a chance to appreciate and practice music, dramatics, painting, writing, photography, or handicrafts.

Play's the thing in the whole plan. To carry out that idea most of the special pursuits are offered entirely aside from the regular curriculum with no college credit given. Participation is voluntary.

Each course usually is supervised by a faculty member interested himself in that hobby.

The individual sports—like tennis, golf, badminton, squash, handball and riding are emphasized because there is more opportunity after college for them than for sports requiring team work.

The college operates its intercollegiate athletics on a "play for fun" basis. 67 per cent of the 350 men students take part in one or more of the 14 sports in which Swartmore competes with other schools. Admission fees are charged only at football and basketball games.

There is no record that Andrew ever preached great sermons, but Peter's sermon at Pentecost brought thousands to Jesus. These were Andrew's converts. Andrew was a quiet task, the work of a common man. But it was a God-appointed task. You and I have a work to do for God and His church. "What is in this hand?"

Come and worship with us Sunday. You may be helped by the fellowship we offer, and we will be helped and encouraged by your presence.

GARRETT MEMORIAL BAPTIST

Holles A. Purdie, Pastor

Sunday school 9:45. Grady Halston, superintendent. We appreciate the interest that is being shown in our Sunday school work, and we hope that it will continue to grow. You can help by being present and on time Sunday. Will you also bring some one with you Sunday?

Dr. C. C. Winters will preach at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Dr. Winters is president of the state association and teacher in the Columbia Bible school at Magnolia. He will speak at both services in the church. Is There a Difference in the Churches? Numbers of questions that have been in the minds of the public for some time will be answered by Dr. Winters Sunday. What is the difference in Association, Baptist and Convention Baptist? What doctrines do Baptists hold not held by other denominations? These are some of the questions which will be answered in a scholarly, unoffensive way by Dr. Winters. Come and hear him.

All classes of the B.Y.P.T.C. will meet at 7 p. m. Let us begin on time so that we will not have to rush with our program. The church has come for the Junior class. Mrs. Purdie's class, she wants every pupil present in order that you can start your clocks at the same time.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Kenneth L. Spore, Pastor
There will be special Pre-Easter Services at the Methodist Church next week. Services each day from Monday to Thursday at 10 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. each day, a Special three hour service on Friday afternoon, 1 p. m. to 4 p. m., and services at 11

The evening sermon, in the service beginning at 7:30, is the subject "What is in Thy Hand?" Andrew, a common man, urged the claims of religion upon the members of his own household. "What is in thy hand?" He brought Peter to Jesus.

King Carol Stands in the Way of Germany's Expansion to the East

Rumania's Ruler Plays a Caggy Game to keep His Rich Little Country Free

By AP Feature Service
A square-jawed Hohenzollern stands thwart the Nazi dream lane eastward. The Danube, halfway to the East, like Hitler, Rumania's King Carol II is a dictator, forceful, adept in politics, practical, and in many ways a self-made man.

He sits to his crown, meat on his table, romance in his life and often a smile on his lips.

"We all have the God-given right to order our own lives and follow our own dreams," says the man who once renounced his throne for love.

As a princely playboy he set Europe tongues to wagging. Now he is 46, serious and portly and key figure in moves that may determine whether Europe is to have peace or war.

Nazi Dreamland? His realm, about the size of Arizona, is the mouth of a funnel of mountains and rivers of eastern Europe. There the Danube and Dravea flow into the Black Sea. There the Carpathians and Transylvanian Alps converge. There is produced a fourth of Europe's crude oil and a sizeable portion of its farm crops.

No wonder Hitler eyes it, largest and richest country of the Balkans. Control would go a long way toward making the Nazi dream of self-sufficiency come true.

But it's going to be a scrap, Carol should know his way around. Love, war, diplomacy, purges and politics—just name the game, Carol knows the rules.

It wasn't long after the Reich stretched its borders over the Czech mountains last year that Carol, called on Paris, London—and Berlin.

At that time, too, Rumanian police made quick work of a domestic crop of Nazis. Fourteen were killed. The German press frothed.

Like France and England, Rumania is a "have" nation. Craved out of Turkey in 1913, it was doubled in size after the World war at the expense of Hungary and Bulgaria. It still in the German orbit, and Russia. Some believe Carol would like to play with London and Paris.

But Carol has to sell oil and farm produce, buy munitions. Rumania is used to trading up the Danube. That's mostly Germany now, and trade with the Reich sometimes means the bartering of political rights.

Once the Playboy
Nazi Germany does not approve of his friend, Madame Lupescu, who is Jewish. But Carol considers his love affairs strictly his own business. He has a pretty Jeanne "Zizi" Lambrino during the World war. She bore him a son in 1920, but by the close of the next year Carol was married to Greece's Princess Helen and the father of another son, now Crown Prince Michael.

Carol met Madame Lupescu, a divorcee, three years later. Called her "Zizi". The affair produced a family rift and continuing Rumanian crisis. Carol went into exile with Magda, divorced him in 1928.

The Rumanian playboy flew back in 1930 and took the throne in a bloodless coup, displacing his son, the boy king who succeeded after Carol's father died. Lupescu came back to Rumania, too. Helen left the country.

Subjects Are Farmers
As King, Carol has founded free schools and colleges and introduced modern farming. Fourth-fifths of his 19 million subjects are farmers.

His premiers have been of various political shades. But last December he disbanded all parties and called for a common front. At the side of the six foot king now, stumpy, strong-armed Premier Calinescu was smashed the fascistic Iron Guard, Madame

girls' agonized moans, punctuated by sharper cries.

The cleanliness of the little place impressed Emily. There were only two rooms—a combination kitchen and living room, and the bedroom. The girl, Angela, was in the bedroom. Bower dropped to his knees beside the bed, his arms around his wife.

"It's all right now, honey, it's all right. Here's Mrs. Doc. And Doc will be here in a minute." The girl looked up at Emily with wide, brown eyes, tried to smile. She was, as her husband had said, quite young. Hardly more than 18. Emily judged, and trying, trying so hard to be brave.

"Don't worry now, Mrs. Bower," Emily said, hoping to keep her own excitement out of her voice, trying to sound reassuring, like Alan. "Dr. Warren is coming right down. He'll be here any minute."

"I'm not so worried—now," the girl said. "Now that you're here. But I was so scared—all alone. Oh!" She clutched at Emily's soft hand, her nails digging into the flesh.

"Billy was scared, too," the girl went on. "We just moved here last month. We didn't know any one, only Dr. Warren. He's been so nice to us. He'll be here soon, won't he?"

"He's probably on his way now," Emily answered.

Emily talked on, quieting and comforting this girl and her husband. Her heart went out to them, so alone, so terrified at this great mystery of life.

Her thoughts raced ahead. What would Alan's mother have done? What would Alan need? Lots of boiling water, to sterilize instruments, gloves, she remembered, and sent Bower to the kitchen to fill pans and start them heating. Fresh, clean sheets, a table near the bed.

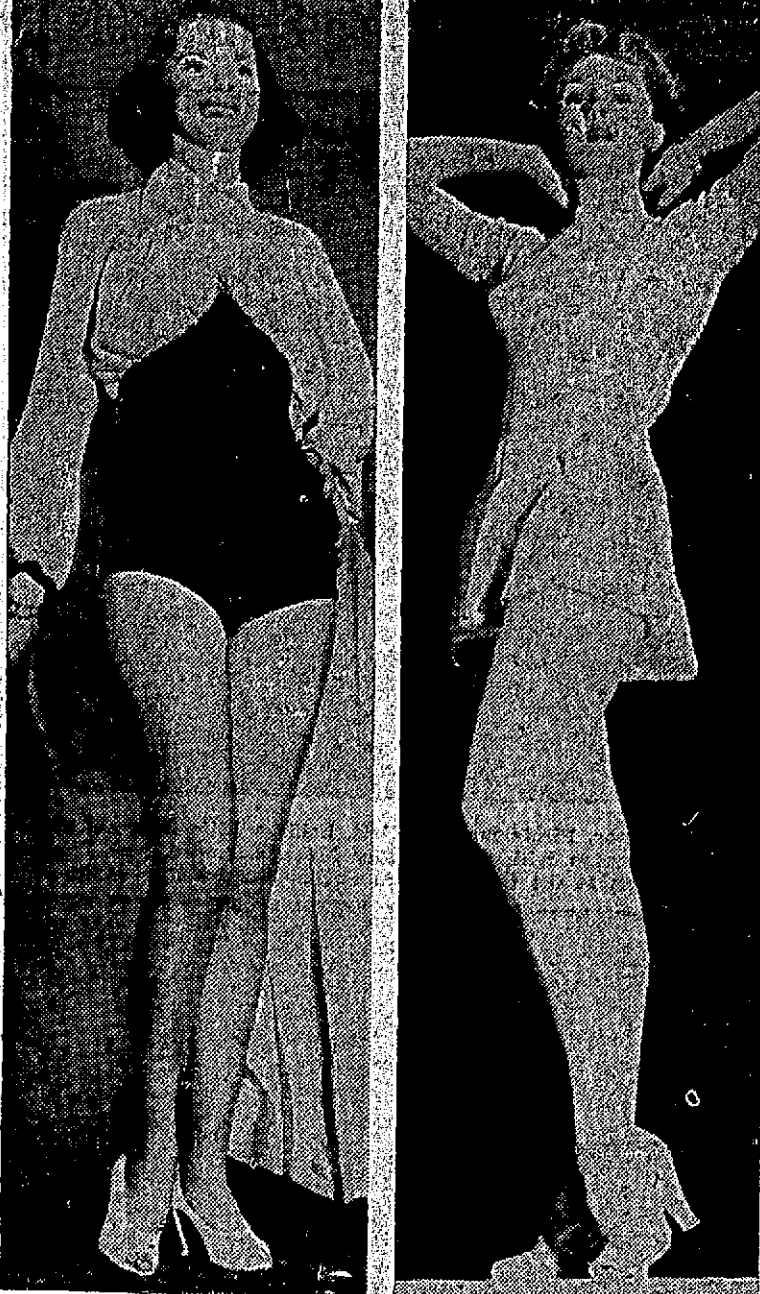
Emily glanced around. The light from the solitary window was far from adequate, and the single bulb, hanging from the ceiling failed to dispel much of the gloom. Suddenly Emily knew what she should do.

"We'll take your wife to the hospital, immediately," she called to Bower. She placed her own fur coat around the girl's shoulders, Accepting Emily's order without question, Bower hurriedly wrapped his wife in a blanket, lifted her from the bed and carried her to the car. Emily followed.

Not too fast—not too slow, she remembered as she turned the car around, headed back toward the hospital. "Oh God, make Alan be there," and let us get there in time," she prayed.

It seemed like it would take

Who's Blondie Now?



It's easy to see that Edgar "Ab" Martin, famous cartoonist who draws "Boots and Her Buddies" for NEA Service, has a sharp eye for Akron (Ohio) University coeds encircling him was named the winner in a "Battle of Beauty" contest against a similar team from Kent State University.

Lupescu, now 39, still is around. Another hint: his mother, the late Queen Maria is credited with putting Rumania on the "allies' side" in the World war. Through her, this Hohenzollern is a great grandson of Queen Victoria just like England's King George VI.

But don't bet too much that Carol won't play ball with Rome and Berlin—if he figures it is the best way to save his country and crown.

The lightning telegraph system in France preceded the electrical telegraph and speeded official messages by semaphore signals.

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SERIAL STORY

'MRS. DOC' BY TOM HORNER

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The characters and situations in this story are wholly fictional.

Yesterday, Eric says goodbye to Emily when she tells him she is going to stay with Alan. Seconds later, a man rushes up to Alan, knocks and calls "Mrs. Doc." He explains that he needs help, that his wife is dying.

CHAPTER XXII
"DR. WARREN isn't here now," Emily said, her calm in sharp contrast to the man's excited pleading. "I don't know where he is."

"You've got to find him. Send him, right away. He knows me. Bill Bower. He said he'd come when we needed him."

"Quiet hysterical parents," Farrell's words came to Emily as if he were speaking them at her side. That must include husbands, she thought.

"I'll get Dr. Warren, send him as soon as possible." The man's relief was immediately evident. Something prompted Emily to find out more.

"Your wife, what's the matter?" "She's going to have a baby. She's all alone. She's in terrible pain. Oh, Mrs. Doc, can't you do something?"

Could she do something? This half-hysterical youth was appealing to her. Could she really merit the title "Mrs. Doc." This was the test.

"I'll come with you," Emily decided swiftly. "Just a minute, while I call the hospital, and have them find Dr. Warren or Dr. Farrell."

A FEW seconds later, they were in Alan's car, speeding toward the Bower home. The man was calmer, quieter. He has confidence in me, he expects me to be able to do something for him and for his wife, Emily thought. Grimly, she determined she would do just that.

"My wife, my Angela, she is so young to have a baby," the man was saying. "But Doc said it would be all right. Nothing to worry about."

Emily nodded, intent on her driving. "Nothing to worry about," she repeated, trying to make her words sound convincing.

Bower directed her along streets that led into Sumner's slum district. Past squalor Emily had never known existed. At last they reached a row of tiny, tumble-down shacks, unpainted and dingy.

"This is it," he said, indicating the corner house. Emily stopped, followed him into the house. Even before she stepped through the doorway, Emily could hear the

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the German statesman "as one of the greatest and most important leaders of the world." He said that Germany could have settled its differences with Warsaw in an atmosphere of complete harmony had not Britain mixed in.

It was the British military attaché in Warsaw, some German newspapers said, who spread news about the concentration of German troops on the Polish border just as it was the British military attaché at Prague who charged spread similar reports of concentration of German troops along the Czech-Slovak border in May, 1938.

Bert Larey Is Named College Board Member

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — Bert Larey, Texarkana, lawyer, was named a member of the State Teachers College Board Friday by Governor Bailey. Succeeding the late J. A. Andrews of Arkansas, Larey received a four-year term.

Bailey reappointed W. L. Smith, Yonkers, to the Arkansas State College Board, and E. E. Jones, Washington, to the Monticello A. and M. College for 10-year terms.

Hubbell Is Sent to Memphis Hospital

BATON ROUGE, La. — (AP) — Bill Terry of the New York Giants decided to send his longtime pitching ace, Carl Hubbell, to Memphis for an examination of his lame shoulder instead of starting him in Sunday's exhibition game.

Hubbell was hit freely during a 10-inning practice game Friday and complained that the lameness in his left shoulder was no better. He said he believed a nerve was affected. He has been taking diathermy treatments for the past three days without showing any benefits.

Cab Driver Uses Radio to Describe Baby's Arrival

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — People for miles around knew Friday when William Noble, a cab driver, became a father.

Noble, an amateur radio operator with a transmitter in his car, called on the night away, and said "This is WGBV. It's a boy."

A lot of amateur operators knew, too, when the store's visit impended. Mrs. Noble, also a radio enthusiast, has a transmitter in her home.

"WGBV" calling WGBV, "shurry Bill," she broadcast.

Noble's phone and removed his wife to a hospital where a son weighing 8 1/2 pounds was born.

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News-Disney's "Practical Pig"

Traynor Says Pirates Can Nail Flag If Pitching Staff Holds Up

Little Rock, Ark. (AP)—Manager George Traynor, who started shutting down his underdog Travelers squad Friday evening, said today that he would not let a dozen rookies to smaller clubs.

Traynor, of the Eastern League's Hot Shots, said that he had a "big" pitching staff, and that he would not let a dozen rookies to smaller clubs.

Traynor, who was with Clarksville in the Cotton States last year, and Pitchers Jim Swann and Andy Kahl, both of whom were with the Rocky Mount last season, were the only ones who had pitched in the Eastern League. Traynor, who was with Clarksville last year, to Rocky Mount, and getting Danville of the Blue State League, have outfielders, Harry Wadell and Lemont Dimian. These three are subject to recall at the end of the 1939 season.

Who's Scared of "13?"

—Not This Kentuckian

MURRAY, Ky. (AP)—The number 13 has no terrors for Wayne Rayburn, former Kentucky legislator. Rayburn said on February 13 he was the 13th person to pay county taxes and that the taxes amounted to exactly \$13.13. He said he had been paying taxes for 15 years. And yes, there are 13 letters in his name.

Legal Notice

ORDINANCE NO. 531

An Ordinance to be Entitled an Ordinance Authorizing the Purchase of Equipment for the Hope Water & Light Plant and for Other Purposes.

WHEREAS, Certain additional equipment is needed by the Hope Water & Light Plant, and whereas the Board of Public Affairs of the City of Hope, Arkansas, has investigated the needs of said Hope Water & Light Plant and has recommended the purchase of one 1000 KW Turbine No. 36891, first stage nozzle, valve stem and hangers with lever, second row 1st stage buckets, rebucketting tools, at a cost not to exceed \$1275.00, and has recommended the purchase of one 1000 KW Turbine No. 39978, first stage nozzle, valve stem and hangers with lever, second row 1st stage buckets, rebucketting tools, at a cost not to exceed \$1275.00, and one 1000 KW Turbine No. 39978, first stage nozzle, valve stem and hangers with lever, second row 1st stage buckets, rebucketting tools, at a cost not to exceed \$1275.00.

Section 2: That the Board of Public Affairs be and it is hereby authorized and directed to advertise according to law for the purchase of said equipment, and to let the contract to the lowest bidder, provided, however, said equipment not to cost in excess of \$1275.00.

Section 3: That the Mayor and the City Clerk be and they are hereby authorized and directed to cause warrants for the purchase of said equipment and purchased according to the provisions herein contained.

Section 4: It appearing that there is urgent need for said equipment in order that the said Hope Water & Light Plant function properly and render the service that is required, an emergency is hereby declared, and this Ordinance shall be in full force and effect from and after its passage and publication.

Read and approved this 31st day of March, 1939.

Published in the Hope Star this 1st day of April, 1939.

ALBERT GRAVES, Mayor

T. R. Billingsley, City Clerk

ORDINANCE NO. 535

An Ordinance to be Entitled an Ordinance Authorizing the Purchase of Paint and the Employment of Labor to Repaint the Interior of the Hope Water & Light Plant Building and for Other Purposes.

WHEREAS, It has been ascertained that the Hope Water & Light Plant building should be repainted, and whereas the Board of Public Affairs has investigated said project and has recommended that the interior of said Hope Water & Light Plant be repainted at a cost not to exceed \$350.00, and

Section 2: That the Board of Public Affairs be and it is hereby authorized and directed to advertise according to law, and accept bids for the paint and the labor necessary to paint the interior of said Hope Water & Light Plant building in accordance with the provisions of Section 1 hereof, and to let contract for the same at a cost not to exceed \$350.00.

Section 3: That the Ordinance being necessary for the public health, safety and general welfare of the inhabitants of the City of Hope, an emergency is hereby declared, and this Ordinance shall be in full force and after its passage and publication.

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Pie Traynor, Pirate manager, left, holds a little informal clubhouse discussion with Catcher Ray Mueller, center, and Pitcher Bob Klingner, at the Corsairs' San Bernardino training camp.



Ken Heintzelman, Mace Brown

By JOHN BEEKMAN
NEA Service Special Correspondent
SAN BERNARDINO, Calif.—Unlike most major league pilots, Manager Harold (Pie) Traynor of the Pittsburgh Pirates doesn't mind calling a spade a spade, and when he thinks he has a good team he says so.

This year, as last, the mild-mannered Buc headman thinks he has a good team—good enough, he says, to win the National League flag.

"We were beaten by one home run in one crucial game last year. We couldn't have come that close and been very bad," he says.

The Pirates, who haven't been out of the first division since 1934 when they finished fifth, will start the 1939 chase with the same club, the folded in the stretch last year against the Chicago Cubs—with one exception—the substitution of Ray Mueller for Al Todd behind the plate.

"Mueller will make a difference, too," Traynor says. "He has a way with pitchers and that's what we need most."

Mueller Good Influence On Mound Staff
Traynor doesn't think the Pirates made a mistake in trading Todd, John Dickson and a wad of cash for Mueller. Traynor says Mueller is just the type to steady Russ Bauers, Bob Klingner and Joe Bowman in the pinches.

"Pitching is our big problem and if Bauers, Bowman and Klingner hit their stride there will be no holding us."

"Pitching indeed is the Pirates' big problem for their leading hurler last year, Mace Brown, who won 15 and lost 9, was a relief tosser.

Between them, Bowman, Bauers and Klingner won 28 games. Traynor says they will make it 40 this season.

Brown, Jim Tobin and Cy Blanton will again be the "bulwarks of the staff with their biggest aid coming from Bill Smith and Ed Brandt. Truett Sewell also will be on hand to help out.

Bill Clemson and Ken Heintzelman are the best of a poor lot of rookie fingers. Traynor is in need of left-handers and Heintzelman may be the answer. Both are up for the third time and must be retained or released outright.

Ray Berres, who was Todd's assistant last year, will be Mueller's aid this season.

The infield and outfield are set. The absence of Paul Waner hasn't

Hempstead Home Agent

Melva Bullington

Ventilation in Home

When better houses are had, parents will have a better opportunity to develop a higher type of family life.

According to Mrs. Ida A. Fenton, extension economist in home management, University of Arkansas College of Agriculture, overcrowding is a great handicap to the development of a happy, adjusted family.

Nervous, irritable children and parents have a difficult time of space for work or play—no privacy, no space for storing private possessions, no quiet, no space to be alone with blocks or lessons—these irritate already frayed nerves.

When young folks reach the age when they desire to entertain their friends, the need for a living room becomes acute. The children have a right to expect that the family shall provide space for the development of a normal social life.

Courts and marriage are as much a part of life as birth and death and the good family life will provide the proper room and conditions, that courtship may be done in the approved manner. This is best done where there is a living room provided for social life.

Good ventilation is essential to health and comfort. Foul, overheated air which packs in the upper one-third of a room must have a way of escape. Transoms over the doors will aid in this. Cross currents of air also help to move foul air. All rooms should have openings in at least two walls to assist in this air movement. There should be no rooms with only north outside openings. The floor plan should be adjusted so that there are north and east or north and west exposures. Provision should be made for central heat or flues so located that three-fourths of the rooms may be heated. Three-fifths of a bedroom per person is a minimum for comfort and privacy. All bedrooms should open from a service hall or another room than a bedroom.

Bathing facilities should be provided. If there is no bathroom, then the bedrooms should have a table with a bowl and pitcher of water so that bathing may be made as convenient as possible.

Time and thought spent on plans previous to building or remodeling is time well spent, as its yields are comfort and convenience.

Farm Unit Demonstration

One of the most popular phases of the live-at home program is the farm unit demonstration.

Over 200 demonstrations have been planned by county agents and specialists according to Mrs. Ida A. Fenton, extension economist, home management, University of Arkansas College of Agriculture. One of those is located in Hempstead county.

The plans for unit demonstrations which are made in the presence of all members of the family, is drawn up in two sections. One section deals with a long-term plan which includes soil and home improvement, educational advantages for the children and eventual freedom from debt.

The short time or current year plan embodies some features of the long-term plan but may be deeply enmeshed in emergencies, such as notes which have been renewed, storm damage to buildings, sickness, and other calamities which beset farm folk and require Gus Suhr at first.

Bill Brubaker, who was good enough to hold down third until Handley came along, is being groomed to relieve Suhr, should the occasion arise, as well as fill in at the hot corner.

John Juelich, a promising youngster from Rochester, also will be retained for utility work.

You can tab the Corsairs as a first division club, all right, but how high in the top half isn't easily predicted at this point.

Gladiolus and Dahlias Flower in Profusion

Best values for the cash expenditure are dahlias and gladiolus. Prize-winning dahlias, left, can be grown with little experience. Gladiolus, right, bloom until frost in more than 400 varieties.

By DONALD GRAY, NEA Landscape Consultant

Eleventh of a series

Dahlias and gladiolus are plants that produce the most flowers for the money.

These two varieties of plants are most popular with men gardeners. They are easily grown if certain rules are followed and they are sure-fire producers of flowers.

New varieties of both these plants may cost a lot of money, but both produce so many off-spring each year that it only takes a few years until they can be bought at a very low cost. So if you are working your garden on a budget do not be lured into buying the most expensive tubers or corms, but rather choose an older variety which will give you beautiful flowers at a low cost.

After you have grown a dahlia plant for a season you will have five or more tubers to plant the next year and if you have a friend who has been growing dahlia plants for a few years you may get a tuber for nothing. All gardeners are generous and nothing hurts as much as to have to throw away a plant because there isn't room to plant it.

If you are starting your first year's dahlia growing buy tubers of good varieties at 20 to 25 cents each.

When it comes to gladiolus, buy corms of good varieties at 3 to 5 cents apiece.

Here are suggestions as to how to grow these interesting plants:

DAHLIAS: Choose a location with poor growing soil with plenty of drainage and all day sun. Dig a hole two feet in diameter one foot deep. Mix the lower six inches of soil with rotted manure or a 10-5-4 fertilizer.

GLADIOLUS: Soak the corms in a solution of one ounce of corrosive sublimate in seven and one-half gallons of water for 12 hours to eliminate thrip, the plant's worst enemy. Plant the corm in any kind of garden soil where there is plenty of sun. Cultivate the ground as the plant grows. If the plant fails to produce healthy leaves of flowers, pull it up and burn it so as not to infect other nearby plants.

NEXT—Pests and Disease.

U. S. Fruit at Stake As Moth and Wasp Wage Violent War

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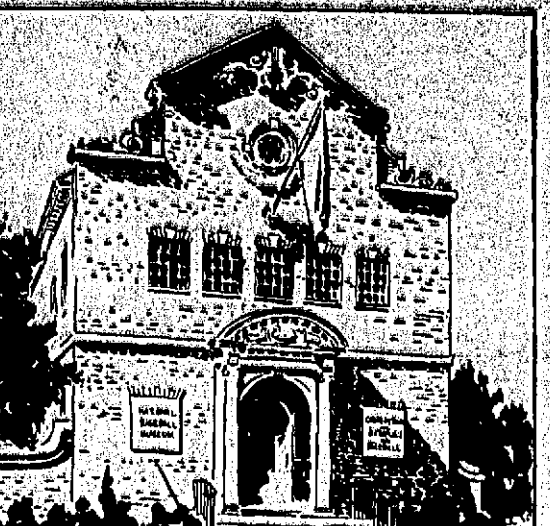
No. 31—Hall of Fame



The Baseball Writers Association of America sponsored the movement to erect a permanent shrine to the national game.

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History of the National Game Told in Sketches by Art Krenz



To perpetuate the memories of baseball's great, and the history of the sport, a National Baseball Museum and Hall of Fame was built in 1938 at Cooperstown, N.Y. Here are interesting exhibits of early equipment, relics and historic prints.

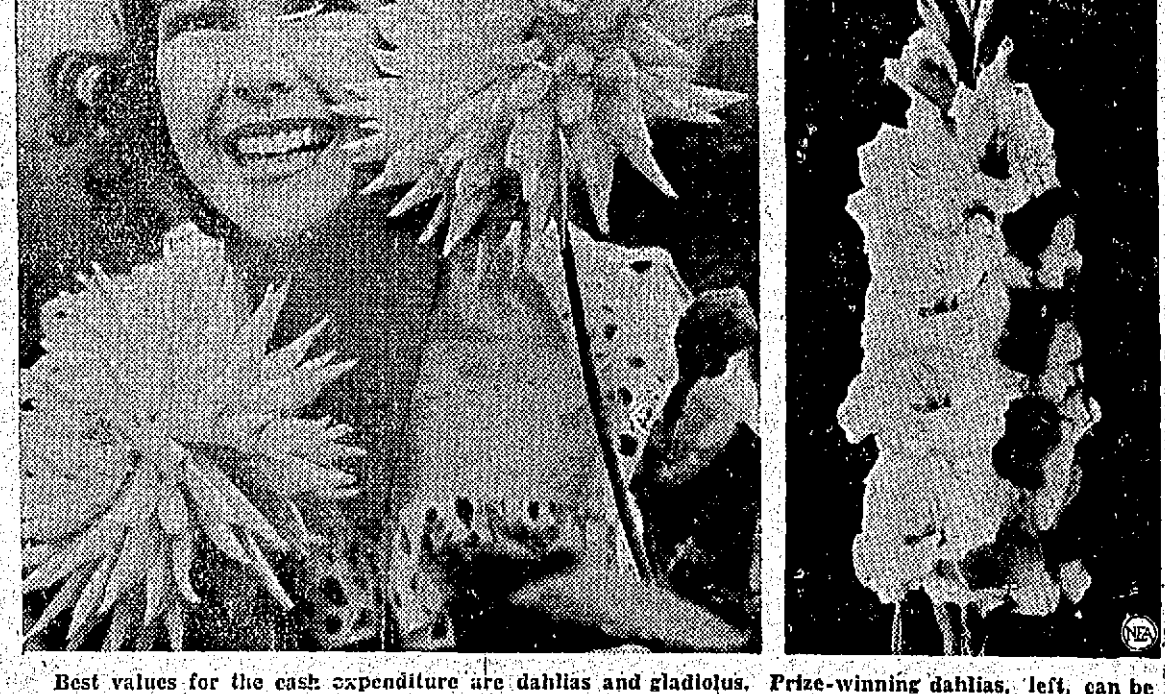
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Each year the Baseball Writers add new names to Baseball's Hall of Fame. Nominations to immortality requires a 75 per cent vote. The first group consisting of five, were elected in 1936. Seven more have been added since. Included thus far are Ty Cobb, Hans Wagner, Christy Mathewson, Walter Johnson, Babe Ruth, Larry Lajoie, Tris Speaker, Cy Young, Grover Alexander, George Sisler, Eddie Collins and Willie Keeler.

NEXT: No-Hit Johnny Vander Meer.

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ALBERT GRAVES, LLOYD SPENCER, ROY ANDERSON

April 1, 3.

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